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BADAT APPROVED BY 1267 SANCTIONS COMITTEE DECEMBER 2005

11. (SBU) On May 30, 2006, Post received the following diplomatic note from the Ministry of Foreign Affairs regarding the addition of Sajid Mohamed Badat to the UN 1267 Sanctions list of individuals/entities associated with Usama bin Laden, the Taliban or Al Qaida.

Complimentary opening --

The Ministry wishes to refer to the Embassy's diplomatic note no 1305, dated January 31, 2006 regarding the addition of Mr. Sajid Mohamed Badat to the 1267 UN sanctions list for his connections to Usama bin Laden and/or Taliban.

The Ministry wishes to inform the Embassy that Sajid Mohamed Badat has no financial activities in Saudi Arabia. In cooperation with Government of the United States, the Government of Saudi Arabia intends to freeze his funds should he conduct transactions in the Kingdom.

Complimentary closing -- OBERWETTER